

BEFORE THE
WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORDER NO. 662

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served January 24, 1967

Application of Alexandria,)
Barcroft, and Washington)
Transit Company for Author-)
ity to Increase Fares.)

Application No. 411

Docket No. 137

On January 13, 1967, Alexandria, Barcroft, and Washington Transit Company, (A. B. & W.) filed the following tariffs accompanied by an application and prepared testimony and exhibits, setting forth new and increased fares.

- (A) Supplement No. 5 to WMATC No. 2 (Joint).
Generally, this supplement seeks to increase interline passenger fares by five cents (5¢) each between all interstate zones of A. B. & W. and the routes of D. C. Transit System, Inc.
- (B) Supplement No. 5 to WMATC No. 5 (Tariff of A. B. & W.).
Generally, this supplement seeks to increase interline passenger fares by five cents (5¢) each between all interstate zones of A. B. & W. and the routes of WMA Transit Company.

(C) WMATC No. 23 (Tariff of A. B. & W.)

Generally, this tariff seeks to increase interstate adult fares by five cents (5¢) each in Zones 1 through 8, to increase interstate children's fares by five cents (5¢) each in Zones 1, 3, 5, and 7 and to increase the token rate from four (4) for eighty-five cents (85¢) to four (4) for one dollar and five cents (\$1.05).

The tariffs were issued on January 13, 1967, and state an effective date of February 13, 1967.

The Commission is of the opinion that the matter should be set for hearing in order that the Commission may give consideration to the financial condition of the Carrier and its revenue requirements and to determine, among other factors, whether it is being operated economically and efficiently, and whether the proposed fares are just and reasonable.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That this matter be, and it is hereby, scheduled for public hearing on Friday, March 10, 1967, at 9:30 A.M. in the offices of the Commission, 1815 North Fort Myer Drive, Arlington, Virginia 22209.

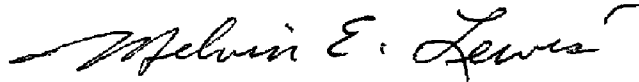
2. That the Commission's Chief Clerk serve a copy of the proposed testimony and exhibits of A. B. & W. upon all formal parties to the proceeding.

3. That any substantially interested party desiring to be heard on this matter shall so indicate in writing to the Commission, with a copy to applicant's attorney of record, S. Harrison Kahn, Suite 733, Investment Building, Washington, D. C., on or before Wednesday, February 8, 1967.

4. That the applicant post notice in all its buses advising the public that the time in which to protest expires on Wednesday, February 8, 1967, and of the time and place of hearing.

5. That the applicant publish notice of the application and hearing in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, once, on or before Wednesday, January 25, 1967.

BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Melvin E. Lewis". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

MELVIN E. LEWIS
Acting Executive Director